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**TWO MEN SENTENCED TO STATE PRISON FOR MARSHFIELD
ARMED HOME INVASION**

BROCKTON – Two men were sentenced to State Prison for their roles in an armed home invasion in Marshfield, Plymouth County District Attorney Timothy J. Cruz announced today.

Steven R. Johnson, 35, of Weymouth and Peter W. John, 35, of Randolph, pleaded guilty today in Brockton Superior Court to one count each of Armed Assault in a Dwelling, Armed Robbery while Masked and Armed Assault with Intent to Rob. Superior Court Judge Cornelius Moriarty sentenced the pair to serve 7-8 years in State Prison with two years of probation to follow on and after. The Commonwealth had requested the pair be sentenced to serve 12-15 years in State Prison.

On June 23, 2011 at 10:15 in the morning, Johnson and John entered a home at 46 Flaggler Drive in Marshfield with a sawed off shotgun, attempted to tie up an occupant in the home and then robbed the property of cash. The pair fled the Marshfield scene in a truck and took police on a chase through the towns of Scituate and Cohasset before they were apprehended.

Assistant District Attorneys Russell Eonas and Amanda Fowle prosecuted the case, which was investigated by Marshfield Police, Scituate Police, Cohasset Police and the Plymouth County Sheriff's Department.

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